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on hand for him." Accordingly the four dozen catnip bushes were planted in rows in the front yard of the Toll estate on Welton Street.

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hirty cents."

timulant for an ailing babe."

catnip bushes!

betokened that another army of cats

as on its way from Cheyenne.

It was an astounding spectacle—
nay, it was prodigious. Yet Judge
Toll understood it all—yes, in a moment the whole truth flashed upon him. These cats had lived all these years far from the influences of civilization, and had never been able to enjoy the advantages of the herb that is essential to the symmetry of the feline nature. They had heard what catnip was, but they had never tasted nor whiffed any. What a revelation Judge Toll's front yard must have been to them! With what celerity they availed themselves of the boon when the breezes bore the perfume of those catnip bushes to their mountain and prairie homes!

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yard next morning, not a vestige of those fair herbs was visible, nor was there a cat to be seen, but, scattered here and there on the despoiled turi, an occasional eye, a truant bit of an ear, a casual quarter section of a tail, one No. 37.

or a desultory tuft of hair, gave pathetic evidence to the tragedy which had been enacted over the last few relics of that once smiling garden .-

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gi' me a bookay o' them, will ye "' Naturally, Judge Toll was very proud of his catnip garden, but one night he was awakened from his pleasant slumbers by a frightful noise in the front yard. It seemed to him as if the sluiceways of sheol had been opened upon that once fair spot. He slipped into his trowsers, and peered out of the window. Cats Ten thousand of the creatures purring, yowling, howling, rolling, stretching, and crooning over those

sex, condition, breeding, habits, and

ness to it, who would rather Toll could see thousands and thousands of other cats hastening hither. They were coming down from the mountains—from Leadville, Crested Butte, Georgetown, Central City, Manitou, Aspen, Idaho, Boulder, Longmont—everywhere—the footbills were alive with them, and they were headed toward the one local point, that catnip bed. On the east another multitude of cats swept in from the arid plains of Kansas-from Deer trail, from Monotony Water Tank, and the desert solitudes of the eastern confines of Colorado. Some came over the Kansas Pacific, others over the Burlington, while from the north there was wafted a din that

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